MAY 1 6 2005

Attorney's Docket No.: 07880-121001

Client's Ref. No.: UMA00-16A

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION FACSIMILE:

OFFICIAL FAX NO: (703) 872-9306

Number of pages including this page 14

Applicant: Haim B. Gunner et al.

Art Unit : 1651

Scrial No.: 10/608,582

Examiner: Deborah K. Ware

Filed

: June 23, 2003

Title

: Novel Antifungal Bacterium and Compositions

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attached to this facsimile communication cover sheet, faxed to the United States Patent and Trademark Office this 16th day of May, 2005, are an Amendment and Reply and a Declaration Concerning Deposit of Biological Material.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 16, 2005

Rcg. No. 53,103

Fish & Richardson P.C., P.A. 60 South Sixth Street **Suite 3300** Minneapolis, MN 55402

Telephone: (612) 335-5070

Fax: (612) 288-9696

60294556.doc

NOTE: This facsimile is intended for the addressee only and may contain privileged or confidential information. If you have received this facsimile in error, please immediately call us collect at (612) 335-5070 to arrange for its return. Thank you.

Attorney's Docket No.: 07880-121001 / UMA00-16A

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Haim B. Gunner et al.

Art Unit : 1651

Serial No.: 10/608,582

Examiner: Deborah K. Warc

Filed

: June 23, 2003

Title

: NOVEL ANTIFUNGAL BACTERIUM AND COMPOSITIONS

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND REPLY

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed February 16, 2005.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION BY FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by facsimile to the Patent and Trademark Office on the date indicated below.

Mpy 16, 2005 Date of Transmission

Signature

Brenda Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate